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John C. Myers

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1. Amendment in response to the May 22, 2003, Office Action;
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3. Return postcard.

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In response to the Office Action mailed May 22, 2003, please consider the following remarks:

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**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this Response.